

More Queries From Sloper's First Ledger

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In Ledger 1, the Lancashire Training Home is shown as the user of a perfin 'LNS/TH', which can only be L4210.01.

Does anyone know what was the Lancashire Training Home. Is it related to Henshaws Institute for the Blind, the user of H3740.01 (H/I/B) or Henthams Institution for the Blind who used POKO H0010.09 (H). These were both based in Manchester.

Ledger 1 lists:-

Dagenham Food Control as using perfin D/FC

Stepney Food Control as using perfin S/FC

These entries are just after the perfins listed for their Borough Councils.

Chichester Food Control is listed as using CR/FC.

Perhaps because it was a Rural District and used CR/DC for the council perfin.

Battersea Food Control only used an overprint.

What were Food Controls? Just as important - when were they introduced? Was it just prior to W.W.II or earlier during the depression? This may tell us when Ledger 1 was written.